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of Indiana.

For Congress
HON. D. C. EDWARDS,
of Laurel County.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce
J. S. MILLER,
as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
J. T. STAMPER,
as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
T. J. WYATT,
as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
FLEM D. SAMPSON,
as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

W. R. LAY
as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
FOR SHERIFF.

Having been requested and willing to accept, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

S. C. EARLY.
We are authorized to announce

W. F. DOZIER
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
DAN H. WILLIAMS,
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
FOR COUNTY CLERK.

WILLIE McDONALD
as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
J. L. SILER
as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
G. P. BAIN
as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
FOR MAGISTRATE 1st DISTRICT.

NELSON GRAY,
of Pine Lick, as a candidate for the office of Magistrate of the third Magisterial District of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904, and if successful will stand by the people of his district.

We are authorized to announce
G. F. BRETZ,
of Barbourville, as a candidate for the office of Magistrate of the 1st District, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
FOR MAGISTRATE 2d DISTRICT.

W. H. GRACE,
of Bailey's Switch, as a candidate for the office of Magistrate of the First District, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
FOR MAGISTRATE 3d DISTRICT.

FRANCIS M. REES
as a candidate for the office of County Surveyor of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
FOR CORONER.

HIRAM YEARY,
as a candidate for the office of Coroner of Knox county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce
FOR MAGISTRATE 4th DISTRICT.

W. H. GRACE,
of Bailey's Switch, as a candidate for the office of Magistrate of the First District, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

YOUNG men, you who have never as yet cast your first vote, think well before you cast your vote, you are forming your future destiny. The way you start you will in all probability continue to go, be sure that you start right. Think which of the two great parties has done the most for our country and for you.

Look at the progress that our nation has made under the administration of the Republican party. Look at the gloom and oppression that existed throughout our land under the administration of the Democratic party from 1892 to 1896. Do you want to see that repeated, or do you want to see our nation continue to grow and prosper? If so, cast your lot with the grand old Republican party. No matter what your father has been or what he is now, unite yourself with the party that stands for the upbuilding of our nation and you will never have occasion to regret it.

BEFORE another issue of the ADVOCATE appears we will be called upon to go to the polls and say by our ballot who shall preside over the affairs of our nation for the next four years.

While there are six parties upon the ballot clamoring for recognition, there are only two that are considered in the contest; that is the Republican and Democratic parties. Shall it be four years more of Republican rule and prosperity, or will the people again throw our country into discord and hard times by electing a Democrat as the chief executive?

We think that the people of our country remember too well the soup-house times of Grover Cleveland to want to repeat the dose.

There is no doubt but what Roosevelt will be elected by an overwhelming majority if the Republicans only do their duty by going to the polls and voting.

The Hon. E. J. McDermott charges: "The next President may have a chance to name three Judges of the Supreme Court. If Mr. Roosevelt should name them, they will be men who take his view—that we have outgrown the Declaration of Independence." This, mark you, before a "Lawyers' Constitutional Club," every man in which insists daily upon exactness in terminology on the part of the clients, assistants, court officials and professional brethren. When and where has President Roosevelt declared that we have outgrown the Declaration of Independence? Mr. McDermott can-

L. & N. Local Time Card

IN EFFECT APRIL 1, 1904.

No. 31 Daily.	No. 32 Daily.	Trains do not stop at Station where no time is shown.	No. 34 Daily.	No. 35 Daily.
8:15 a. m.	8:22 p. m.	Corbin	10:30 a. m.	11:25 p. m.
9:15 a. m.	9:22 p. m.	Onya	10:50 a. m.	11:55 p. m.
		Quanto	1:50 p. m.	
10:30 a. m.	1:00 p. m.	Barksville	9:00 p. m.	10:45 p. m.
11:30 a. m.	1:00 p. m.	Atenas	11:55 p. m.	
4:00 p. m.	4:21 p. m.	Pink Lake	1:18 a. m.	10:25 p. m.
		Pinelville	8:15 a. m.	9:00 p. m.
4:29 p. m.	4:48 p. m.	Wadsworth	8:54 a. m.	
		Peradale	8:15 p. m.	9:00 p. m.
4:53 a. m.	5:13 p. m.	Midleboro	8:25 p. m.	9:00 p. m.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Brush Creek.

[Left over from last week.]

A very large number of our citizens attended the opening of the campaign at Barbourville.

Mrs. John R. Ricketts, who has been very ill for some time, is improving some. We hope to see her able to stir about very soon.

Eld S. D. Tinsley is having a new house built near the site where he now lives. S. L. Lewis is also building a new residence, with Dr. E. J. Dennis as general manager.

The principal talk in all the races seems to be in the County Judge's. Our people think that is the office which is most important to them. We know that Judge Wyatt has made several races on the one bridge he claims to have built across the Cumberland, and he is still running upon that platform. Our people have had a good deal of confidence in him and believed him a fair, honorable gentleman, willing to abide by the will of the majority, but in the last primary, after our people had placed so much confidence in him and had voted for him, he betrayed their confidence and instituted a contest and tried to get up strife and discord in the Republican party and get a chance to run independent. In this he showed himself to be greedy and willing to sacrifice the Republican party to advance his personal interest; and if he had submitted to the will of the majority he might now be getting our support, but looking at this matter as it presents itself to us, we are strongly in favor of F. D. Sampson who, when he was defeated, acted the part of a Republican and a gentleman.

A REPUBLICAN.

Crane's Nest.

There was a large crowd at the speaking here last Wednesday week. Everything went off quietly until it came time for F. D. Sampson to make his reply. In his reply he was showing by the records that Judge Wyatt in his last term was the highest rate of tax man that the county ever had. That instead of being a low tax man, as he claimed he was, in fact, the highest, his rate was 35 cents on the hundred dollars' worth of property, 15 cents on the hundred dollars for bridge purposes, and \$1.50 poll for all except the last year when he had reduced it on account of his candidacy for re-election. These figures and facts so enraged Judge Wyatt, he jumped to his feet, swore viciously at Mr. Sampson, and then, drawing a big Barlow knife, started in to carve him up. Judge Wyatt could not answer the argument or dispute the facts, but hoped to break the effect by raising a disturbance and divert the attention of the people. The people are censuring Wyatt for his unlawful course, and had it not been for Mr. Sampson's calm, quiet manner and the assistance he rendered in restoring order there might have been serious trouble.

ONE WHO SAW IT.

Gray's.

Quite a number of our people attended the public speaking of our candidates in East Corbin last Friday, and all report a peaceful and pleasant time. We also think that our candidates have shown themselves a high-class of citizens. On the 24th, the first day of the speaking at Barbourville, they entered into an agreement in writing not to use or allow to be used in their interest any spirituous, vinous or malt liquor during the series of speaking advertised. All the candidates signed this agreement, but just before the speaking began in Corbin Judge Miller, in company with several voters, entered one of the saloons and set up the drinks. This astonished many of his supporters who saw him.

When it came Judge Miller's time to speak he arose and, among other things, claimed he was a great temperance man; that he was the enemy of liquor and was doing all he could to stamp it out. Those who had witnessed his conduct in the

saloon a few minutes before all agreed that he was a great "boozie fighter." The agreement was signed on Monday and violated on Friday. He preaches one thing and practices another.

A VOTER.

Himyar.

[Left over from last week.]

Candidates have been rousing us up of late. Geo. Buchanan seems to be in the lead for jailer, while the Superintendent's race is just a complete walkover for M. G. Hignite. Flem D. Sampson also seems to hold considerable ground.

Several of the ladies and gentlemen from this place attended the speaking at Flat Lick last Friday evening, among whom were James Taylor and Miss Martha Cook. All report a good time and much enthusiasm.

Two you gents from Flat Lick happened to a piece of misfortune a few nights ago while at church. They started to accompany two young ladies from Himyar home, when T. I. Sealf and James Taylor stepped in the way and Tom and Walter were turned down. Oh! so bad!

Mrs. L. Woolman has gone into the cattle business again; she traded Mrs. Broughton a hen and chickens for a year old calf.

J. I. Pursfall sold his farm to the local company last week. It is expected that they will open up the mines soon. This no doubt will add to our rapidly growing little town.

A big ball game is anticipated between the Himyar and the local farmers. The boys have been beating everything of late, and if they were to be "licked" by old men, it would not do but sting them a little.

Long live the ADVOCATE.
May our union never die;
Republicanism and Roosevelt,
May ye both be set on high.

—J. F.

Jarvis' Store.

George and Gill Dizney, of Bertha, passed through this place Sunday en route to their father's, near Girdler, who is seriously wounded by a horse pawing him. Thomas Dizney and son Fayette Dizney, were also summoned to his bedside from this place Sunday.

J. D. Willis and family of this place were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hopper, near Bailey's Sunday.

John Miller, of this place, is at Bertha this week on business.

William Martin and family, of this place, were visiting relatives near Emanuel Sunday.

Judging from what the people of this place say, W. F. Dozier, Thomas Perrotti and Willie McDonald need not suffer any uneasiness, for on the 12th day of November they will give them a large majority. Each candidate is sure of election, but there is only one thing sure about it, and that is this, some are sure to be beaten.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bently, of this place, were visiting relatives near Emanuel Sunday.

S. R. Lawson, of this place, will soon have his new house ready for occupancy.

Ola, Ky.

County Court convened here Monday with quite a number of our best citizens in town.

The telephone system from Whitesburg to Baker is on foot again and a company is about to be organized to build it.

Wm. Vermillion, of East Bend, will soon move to Cowan creek, where he will reside in the future. We regret to lose such a good citizen.

The cold hand of death entered the happy home of our county clerk, John Collins, and stole away their two-year-old daughter, and the remains were laid to rest in the old Caudill cemetery at the mouth of Sandlick, below the burg. But she is now a shining angel around the Throne.

The estate of James J. Webb, who recently died here, was sold at public auction a few days ago to E. M. Webb.

News has reached here to the effect that flux is raging in Wise and Dickinson counties, several deaths having resulted from this malady. Two children died in the same family within one night. In 1886 this disease was prevalent in that section, and claimed its victims almost by the score.

Intelligence has just been received from Eola, near the Kentucky-Virginia border that the cabbage snake has made its appearance, and that in one instance a Mrs. Maggard and her three children were poisoned by eating cooked cabbage.

The death of "Uncle" Hall at the age of ninety-eight, was followed in three hours afterward by the death of his wife, aged ninety-five. Some hours later a son-in-law, John Tripplett, passed away. "Uncle" Henry was the father of seventeen children, including T. Alton Hall, of feud fame, who was hanged in 1893. The aged couple were buried in the same grave last Saturday afternoon.

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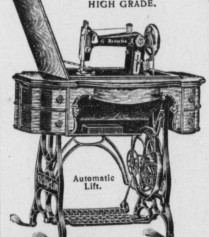


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Barbourville, Ky.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO VOTERS OF THE ELEVENTH DISTRICT. I was nominated by the Democratic Convention at Somerset, August 28th, to be voted for November 4th, for Representative of the Eleventh district in Congress. If elected I will owe the honor to the voters of Republicans and Independents as well as Democrats, and I will, in that event, pledge myself to be the official representative of all the people composing this great district.

Geo. E. STONE,
Monticello, Wayne county.

TAKEN UP.

One red yearling steer calf came to my premises about six weeks ago; the owner can have same by paying charges and proving property.

I. T. POPE,
Barbourville, Ky.

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1st PRIZE \$2.50 IN GOLD.

Will be awarded to the finest collection of corn (12 ears either white or yellow) brought to this office between October 15 and Dec. 1 next.

2nd PRIZE \$.200 in SILVER.

To the second best collection.

3rd Prize. A Year's Subscription.

To the MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE.

Select your collection of twelve ears as you gather your crop and bring them to the ADVOCATE office. When we will take your name and number the ticket on your collection and take care of corn until Dec. 2, when Judges will be chosen to award the prizes to the numbers. They will not be permitted to know whose corn they are judging until the awards are all made. Corn to be judged by size, quality, maturity, good filling on cob, &c.

After the awards are made all the collection of corn will become the property of the ADVOCATE. No samples will be allowed to be removed after they are deposited but other collections can be made, any one can make as many entries as he desires.

REMEMBER This Contest opens Oct. 15 And Closes Dec. 1.

This gives you ample time to make your selection and leave it with this office.

The entries are free and no one is barred so the corn is raised in Knox county. Leave all samples with the

MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE

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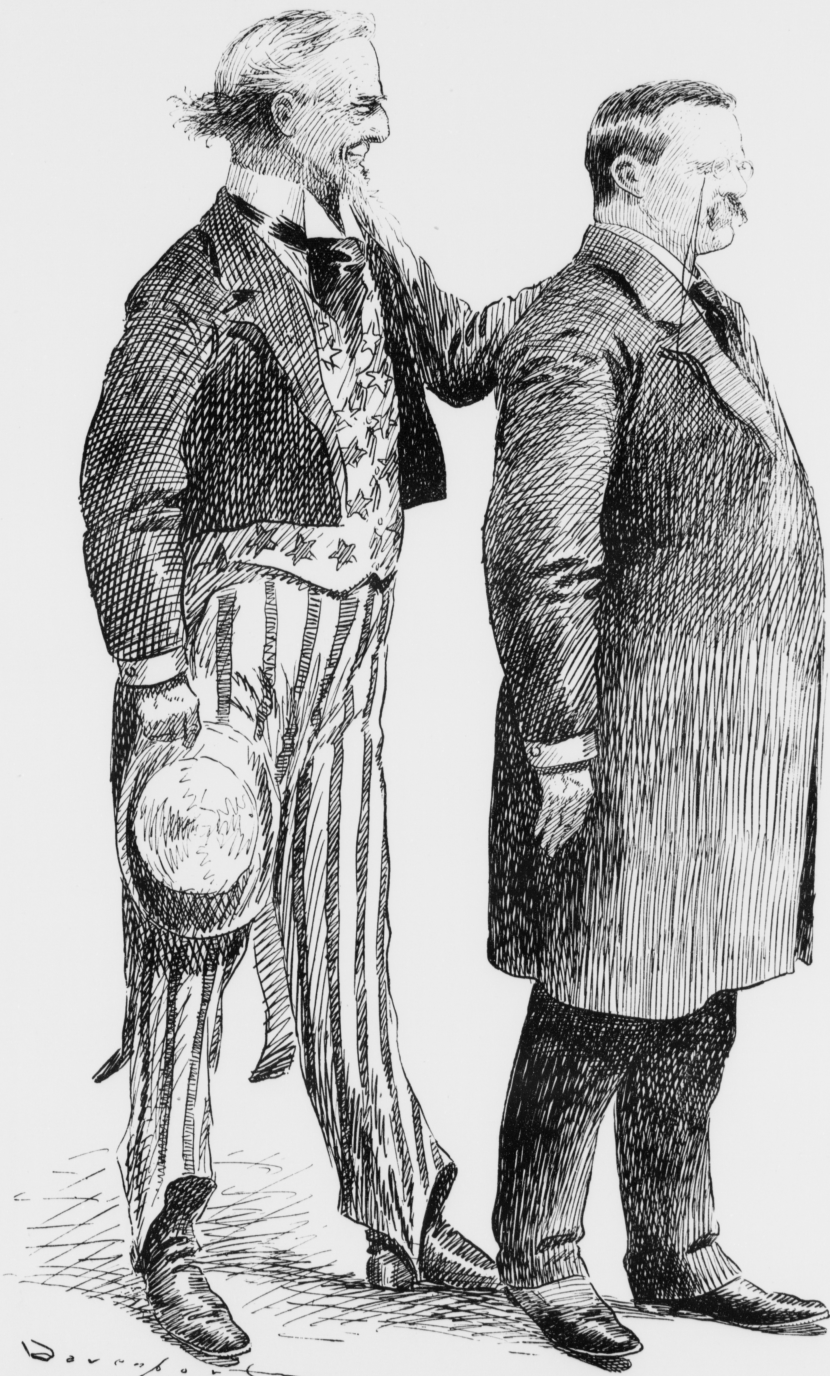
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